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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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Examiner: R. Bawa

APPLICATION NO: 08/288,415

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FOR: AN AEROSOL CONTAINER AND A METHOD FOR STORAGE AND  
ADMINISTRATION OF A PRE-DETERMINED AMOUNT OF A  
PHARMACEUTICALLY ACTIVE AEROSOL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This paper is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application. Therefore, no fees are required. If a fee is deemed to be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0134.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form(s) PTO-1449.

Some of the listed references are of record in parent Application No. 08/288,415 filed August 9, 1994, and copies are available therein.


Also, copies of the other cited references are enclosed herewith.

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The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form(s).

Respectfully submitted,

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